House File 2032 - Introduced

HOUSE FILE 2032 BY LUKAN

A BILL FOR

- 1 An Act creating an assistant citizens' aide for administrative
- 2 rules.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

H.F. 2032

- 1 Section 1. Section 2C.6, Code 2011, is amended to read as 2 follows:
- 2C.6 Deputy assistant for penal agencies assistant for 4 administrative rules.
- 5 <u>1.</u> The citizens' aide shall designate one of the members of
- 6 the staff as the deputy citizens' aide, with authority to act
- 7 as citizens' aide when the citizens' aide is absent from the
- 8 state or becomes disabled. The citizens' aide may delegate to
- 9 members of the staff any of the citizens' aide's authority or
- 10 duties except the duty of formally making recommendations to
- 11 agencies or reports to the governor or the general assembly.
- 12 2. The citizens' aide shall appoint an assistant who shall
- 13 be primarily responsible for investigating complaints relating
- 14 to penal or correctional agencies.
- 15 3. The citizens' aide shall appoint an assistant who shall
- 16 be primarily responsible for investigating complaints relating
- 17 to administrative rules of state agencies.
- 18 EXPLANATION
- 19 This bill creates a specific assistant in the office of the
- 20 citizens' aide/ombudsman to investigate citizen complaints
- 21 relating to administrative rules of state agencies.